

REMARKS

The Examiner has made a requirement for restriction between the following groups of claims:

- Group I: Claims 1-9, drawn to tape supplier; and
- Group II: Claims 10-13, drawn to a refill cartridge.

In order to comply with the Examiner's Restriction Requirement, Applicant provisionally elects to prosecute Group I, directed to claims 1-9, for prosecution in the present application. Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional application directed to the non-elected claims at a later date, if so desired.

This election is without traverse.

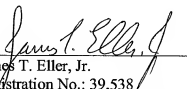
Favorable action on the present application is earnestly solicited.

If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone James T. Eller, Jr., Registration No. 39,538, at (703) 205-8000, in the Washington, D.C. area.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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